## WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

- 1. A photoprotective cosmetic/dermatological composition suited for the UV-photoprotection of the skin and/or hair, comprising (a) particulates of at least one insoluble mineral and/or organic UV-screening agent having a particle size ranging from 5 nm to 5  $\mu$ m and (b) a stabilizing amount of at least one amphiphilic polymerizate of at least one ethylenically unsaturated monomer which comprises a sulfonic group, whether in the free acid or in partially or totally neutralized state, and which amphiphilic polymerizate also comprises at least one hydrophobic moiety.
  - 2. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 1, said at least one hydrophobic moiety of said at least one amphiphilic polymerizate having from 6 to 50 carbon atoms.

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- 3. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 2, said at least one hydrophobic moiety of said at least one amphiphilic polymerizate having from 6 to 22 carbon atoms.
- 4. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 3, said at least one hydrophobic moiety of said at least one amphiphilic polymerizate having from 6 to 18 carbon atoms.
- 5. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 4, said at least one hydrophobic moiety of said at least one amphiphilic polymerizate having from 12 to 18 carbon atoms.

- 6. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 1, the sulfonic groups of said at least one amphiphilic polymerizate being partially or totally neutralized with a mineral or organic base.
- The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 1, said at least one amphiphilic polymerizate having a number-average molecular weight ranging from 1,000 to 20,000,000 g/mol.
- 8. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 7, said number-average molecular weight ranging from 20,000 to 5,000,000 g/mol.
  - 9. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 8, said number-average molecular weight ranging from 100,000 to 1,500,000 g/mol.
- 15 10. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 1, an aqueous 1% by weight solution of said at least one amphiphic polymerizate having, at a temperature of 25°C, a viscosity, measured using a Brookfield viscometer with a No. 7 needle, ranging from 20,000 mPa.s to 100,000 mPa.s.
- 20 11. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 1, said at least one amphiphilic polymerizate having been prepared by free-radical precipitation polymerization in tert-butanol.
- 12. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 1, said at least one amphiphilic polymerizate being non-crosslinked.
  - 13. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 1, said at least one amphiphilic polymerizate being crosslinked.

- 14. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 13, said at least one amphiphilic polymerizate being crosslinked with a polyolefinically unsaturated crosslinking agent.
- 5 15. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 14, said crosslinking agent comprising methylenebisacrylamide, allyl methacrylate or trimethylolpropane triacrylate (TMPTA).
- 16. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 14, the degree of crosslinking ranging from 0.01 mol% to 10 mol%.
  - 17. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 1, said at least one ethylenically unsaturated monomer which comprises a sulfonic group comprising vinylsulfonic acid, styrenesulfonic acid, a (meth)acrylamido( $C_1$ -
- 15  $C_{22}$ )alkylsulfonic acid, an N-( $C_1$ - $C_{22}$ )alkyl(meth)acrylamido-( $C_1$ - $C_{22}$ )alkylsulfonic acid, or the partially or totally neutralized forms thereof.
- 18. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 17, said at least one ethylenically unsaturated monomer which comprises a sulfonic group comprising acrylamidomethanesulfonic acid, acrylamidoethanesulfonic acid, acrylamidopropanesulfonic acid, 2-acrylamido-2-methylpropanesulfonic acid, methacrylamido-2-methylpropanesulfonic acid, 2-acrylamido-n-butanesulfonic acid, 2-acrylamido-2,4,4-trimethylpentanesulfonic acid, 2-methacryl-amidododecylsulfonic acid or 2-acrylamido-2,6-di-methyl-3-heptanesulfonic acid, or the partially or totally neutralized forms thereof.
  - 19. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 18, said at least one ethylenically unsaturated monomer which comprises a sulfonic group

comprising 2-acrylamido-2-methylpropanesulfonic acid (AMPS), or the partially or totally neutralized forms thereof.

- 20. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 19, said at least one amphiphilic polymerizate comprising a random AMPS polymer modified by reaction with an n-mono(C<sub>6</sub>-C<sub>22</sub>)alkylamine or a di-n-(C<sub>6</sub>-C<sub>22</sub>)-alkylamine.
  - 21. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 19, said amphiphilic AMPS polymerizate also being derived from at least one ethylenically unsaturated monomer not comprising a fatty chain.

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- 22. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 20, said at least one ethylenically unsaturated monomer not comprising a fatty chain being selected from among (meth)acrylic acids and the  $\beta$ -substituted alkyl derivatives thereof, and the esters thereof obtained with monoalcohols or mono- or polyalkylene glycols, or from (meth)acrylamides, vinylpyrrolidone, maleic anhydride, itaconic acid or maleic acid, or mixtures thereof.
- 23. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 19, said amphiphilic AMPS polymerizate comprising an amphiphilic copolymer of AMPS and of at least one ethylenically unsaturated hydrophobic monomer which comprises at least one hydrophobic moiety having from 6 to 50 carbon atoms.
- 24. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 23, said at least one hydrophobic moiety having from 6 to 22 carbon atoms.
  - 25. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 24, said at least one hydrophobic moiety having from 6 to 18 carbon atoms.

- 26. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 25, said at least one hydrophobic moiety having from 12 to 18 carbon atoms.
- The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 23, said at
   least one ethylenically unsaturated hydrophobic monomer comprising an acrylate or acrylamide of formula (I) below:

$$-CH_{2}-C-C$$

$$O=C$$

$$Y-CH_{2}-CH(R_{3})-O \xrightarrow{X} R_{2}$$

in which  $R_1$  and  $R_3$ , which may be identical or different, are each a hydrogen atom or a linear or branched  $C_1$ - $C_6$  alkyl radical; Y is O or NH;  $R_2$  is a hydrophobic hydrocarbyl radical having from 6 to 50 carbon atoms; and  $\underline{x}$  is the number of moles of alkylene oxide and ranges from 0 to 100.

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- 28. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 27, wherein formula (I) said hydrophobic radical  $R_2$  is a linear, branched or cyclic  $C_6$ - $C_{18}$  alkyl radical;  $C_6$ - $C_{18}$  alkylperfluoro radical; cholesteryl radical or a cholesterol ester; or an aromatic polycyclic radical.
- 29. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 27, said at
  20 least one monomer of formula (I) comprising at least one alkylene oxide structural unit (x ≥ 1).

- 30. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 27, said at least one monomer of formula (I) comprising at least one polyoxyalkylenated structural unit.
- 5 31. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 30, said at least one polyoxyalkylenated structural unit comprising ethylene oxide groups and/or of propylene oxide groups.
- 32. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 31, said at least one polyoxyalkylenated structural unit solely comprising ethylene oxide groups.

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- 33. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 27, wherein formula (I) the number of oxyalkylenated structural units ranges from 3 to 100.
- 34. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 33, wherein formula (I) the number of oxyalkylenated structural units ranges from 3 to 50.
- 35. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 34, wherein formula (I) the number of oxyalkylenated structural units ranges from 7 to 25.
  - 36. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 23, said at least one amphiphilic AMPS polymer comprising a crosslinked or non-crosslinked, neutralized or non-neutralized copolymer which comprises from 15% to 60% by weight of AMPS structural units and from 40% to 85% by weight of (C<sub>8</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>)alkyl(meth)acrylamide structural units or of (C<sub>8</sub>-C<sub>16</sub>)alkyl (meth)acrylate structural units, relative to the polymer; or a terpolymer which comprises from 10 mol% to 90 mol% of acrylamide structural units, from 0.1 mol% to 10 mol% of

AMPS structural units and from 5 mol% to 80 mol% of n- $(C_6-C_{18})$ alkylacrylamide structural units, relative to the polymer.

- 37. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 23, said at least one amphiphilic AMPS polymer comprising a non-crosslinked copolymer of partially or totally neutralized AMPS and of n-dodecyl methacrylate, or a crosslinked or non-crosslinked copolymer of partially or totally neutralized AMPS and of n-dodecyl-methacrylamide.
- 38. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 23, said at least one amphiphilic AMPS polymer comprising a copolymer of 2-acrylamido-2-methylpropanesulfonic acid (AMPS) structural units of formula (II) below:

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
CH_3 \\
NH-C-CH_2SO_3^-X^+ \\
CH_3
\end{array}$$
(II)

in which X<sup>+</sup> is a proton, an alkali metal cation, an alkaline earth metal cation or the ammonium ion, and of structural units of formula (III) below:

$$\begin{array}{cccc}
R_1 & & & & \\
-CH_2-C & & & & \\
O & & CH_2-CH_2-O & \\
& & & X & R_4
\end{array}$$
(III)

in which  $\underline{x}$  is an integer ranging from 3 to 100,  $R_1$  is as defined in formula (I); and  $R_4$  is a linear or branched  $C_6$ - $C_{22}$  alkyl radical.

- 39. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 38, wherein formula (III)  $\underline{x} = 25$ ,  $R_1$  is methyl and  $R_4$  is n-dodecyl.
  - 40. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 38, the molar percentage of structural units of formula (I) or of structural units of formula (III) in the polymer ranging from 50.1% to 99.9%.

41. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 38, the molar percentage of structural units of formula (I) or of structural units of formula (III) in the polymer ranging from 0.1% to 50%.

15 42. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 1, said at least one amphiphilic polymerizate comprising from 0.01% to 30% by weight thereof.

- 43. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 1,
  20 comprising at least one insoluble organic UV-screening selected from among oxanilide, triazine, triazole, vinyl amide, cinnamide or benzazole organic UV-screening agents.
- 44. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 43,comprising at least one oxanilide UV-screening agent of formula (1):

$$T'_{1} \xrightarrow{V} V_{1} C V_{1} V_{1} V_{2} V_{1} V_{2} V_{1} V_{1} V_{2} V_{1} V_{2} V_{1} V_{2} V_{1} V_{2} V_{2} V_{2} V_{1} V_{2} V_$$

in which  $T_1$ ,  $T_1'$ ,  $T_2$  and  $T_2'$ , which may be identical or different, are each a  $C_1$ - $C_8$  alkyl radical or a  $C_1$ - $C_8$  alkoxy radical.

5 45. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 44, said at least one oxanilide UV-screening agent being selected from the following compounds:

$$\begin{array}{c|c} OC_2H_5 & O \\ NH & C \\ NH & C \\ O & NH \\ \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c|c} C_2H_5 \\ O \\ C(CH_3)_3 \\ \end{array}$$

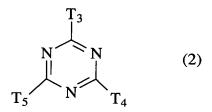
$$\begin{array}{c|c} C_2H_5 \\ O \\ \end{array}$$

46. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 43, comprising at least one triazine UV-screening agent selected from among insoluble s-triazine compounds bearing benzalmalonate and/or phenylcyanoacylate substituents.

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- 47. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 46, said at least one triazine UV-screening agent being selected from among the following compounds:
- 2,4,6-tris(diethyl 4'-aminobenzalmalonate)-s-triazine,
- 10 2,4,6-tris(diisopropyl 4'-aminobenzalmalonate)-s-triazine,
  - 2,4,6-tris(dimethyl 4'-aminobenzalmalonate)-s-triazine, and
  - 2,4,6-tris(ethyl  $\alpha$ -cyano-4-aminocinnamate)-s-triazine.
- 48. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 43, said at least one triazine UV-screening agent having the formula (2):



in which  $T_3$ ,  $T_4$  and  $T_5$ , which may be identical or different, are each phenyl, phenoxy or pyrrolo, optionally substituted with one, two or three substituents selected from among OH,  $C_1$ - $C_{18}$  alkyl or alkoxy,  $C_1$ - $C_{18}$  carboxyalkyl,  $C_5$ - $C_8$  cycloalkyl, a methylidenecamphor group or a group -(CH=CH)<sub>n</sub>(CO)-OT<sub>6</sub>, with  $T_6$  being either  $C_1$ - $C_{18}$  alkyl or cinnamyl, and  $\underline{n}$  is 0 or 1.

- 49. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 43, said at least one triazine UV-screening agent comprising an insoluble s-triazine compound bearing benzotriazole and/or benzothiazole substituents.
- 5 50. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 49, said at least one triazine UV-screening agent being selected from:

  2,4,6-tris[(3'-benzotriazol-2-yl-2'-hydroxy-5'-methyl) phenylamino]-s-triazine, and 2,4,6-tris[(3'-benzotriazol-2-yl-2'-hydroxy-5'-tert-octyl) phenylamino]-s-triazine.
- 10 51. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 43, comprising at least one triazole UV-screening agent having the formula (3) below:

$$\begin{array}{c}
 & \text{HO} \\
 & \text{N} \\
 & \text{N}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 & \text{T}_{5} \\
 & \text{T}_{3}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 & \text{T}_{4} \\
 & \text{T}_{5}
\end{array}$$

in which  $T_3$  is a hydrogen atom or a  $C_1$ - $C_{18}$  alkyl radical; and  $T_4$  and  $T_5$ , which may be identical or different, are each a  $C_1$ - $C_{18}$  alkyl radical optionally substituted with a phenyl group.

52. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 51, said at least one compound of formula (3) being selected from among the following compounds

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{HO} \\ \text{C(CH}_3)_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3 \\ \\ \text{C(CH}_3)_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3 \\ \end{array}$$

- 53. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 43, said at least one insoluble UV-screening agent comprising [2,4'-dihydroxy-3-(2H-benzotriazol-2-yl)-5-(1,1,3,3-tetramethylbutyl)-2'-n-octoxy-5'-benzoyl]-
- 5 diphenylmethane having the structure:

$$\begin{array}{c|c} OH & O(n-C_8H_{17}) \\ \hline N & CH_2 & OH \\ \hline tert C_8H_{17} & C=O \\ \end{array}$$

54. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 43, comprising at least one triazole UV-screening agent selected from among the methylenebis(hydroxyphenyl-benzotriazole) compounds of the following formula (4):

in which the radicals  $T_{10}$  and  $T_{11}$ , which may be identical or different, are each a  $C_1$ - $C_{18}$  alkyl radical that may be substituted with one or more radicals selected from among  $C_1$ - $C_4$  alkyl radicals,  $C_5$ - $C_{12}$  cycloalkyl radicals and aryl radicals.

55. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 54, said at least one compound of formula (4) being selected from among those having the following structures:

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56. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 43, comprising at least one vinyl amide UV-screening agent having the following formula (5):

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 $T_{12}$ -(Y)r-C(=O)-C( $T_{13}$ )=C( $T_{14}$ )-N( $T_{15}$ )( $T_{16}$ ) (5)

in which T<sub>12</sub> is a C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>18</sub> alkyl radical or a phenyl group optionally substituted with one, two or three radicals selected from among OH, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>18</sub> alkyl and C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>8</sub>

alkoxy, or a group -C(=O)-OT<sub>17</sub> in which T<sub>17</sub> is a C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>18</sub> alkyl radical; T<sub>13</sub>, T<sub>14</sub>, T<sub>15</sub> and T<sub>16</sub>, which may be identical or different, are each a C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>18</sub> alkyl radical or a hydrogen atom; Y is N or O and <u>r</u> is 0 or 1.

- 57. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 56, said at least one compound of formula (5) being selected from among:
- 4-octylamino-3-penten-2-one;

ethyl 3-octylamino-2-butenoate;

- 5 3-octylamino-1-phenyl-2-buten-1-one, and
  - 3-dodecylamino-1-phenyl-2-buten-1-one.
- 58. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 43, comprising at least one cinnamamide UV-screening agent having the following formula (6):

$$T_{18}O - CH = CH - C - N T_{19}$$
 $T_{20}$ 
(6)

in which  $OT_{18}$  is a hydroxyl or  $C_1$ - $C_4$  alkoxy radical;  $T_{19}$  is hydrogen or a  $C_1$ - $C_4$  radical;  $T_{20}$  is a group -(CONH)s-phenyl in which  $\underline{s}$  is 0 or 1 and the phenyl group may be substituted with one, two or three groups selected from among OH,  $C_1$ - $C_{18}$  alkyl and  $C_1$ - $C_8$  alkoxy, or a group -C(=O)- $OT_{21}$  in which  $T_{21}$  is a  $C_1$ - $C_{18}$  alkyl radical.

- 59. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 43,comprising at least one cinnamamide dimer UV-screening agent.
  - 60. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 59, said at least one insoluble UV-screening agent comprising the compound having the structural formula:

61. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 43, comprising at least one insoluble benzazole UV-screening agent selected from among those corresponding to one of the formulae (7), (8) and (9) below:

$$(A)_{p} \qquad (R_{1})_{m} \qquad (7)$$

$$(R_{1})_{m} \qquad (R_{1})_{m} \qquad (8)$$

$$(R_{1})_{m} \qquad (R_{1})_{m} \qquad (9)$$

in which each of the symbols X independently represents an oxygen or sulfur atom or a group  $NR_2$ , each of the symbols Z independently represents a nitrogen atom or a CH group, each of the symbols  $R_1$  independently represents an OH group, a

halogen atom, a linear or branched  $C_1$ - $C_8$  alkyl radical optionally containing a silicon atom, or a linear or branched  $C_1$ - $C_8$  alkoxy radical, each of the numbers  $\underline{m}$  is independently 0, 1 or 2,  $\underline{n}$  represents an integer ranging from 1 to 4 inclusive,  $\underline{p}$  is equal to 0 or 1, each of the numbers  $\underline{q}$  is independently equal to 0 or 1, each of the symbols  $R_2$  independently represents a hydrogen atom or a linear or branched  $C_1$ - $C_8$  alkyl radical or benzyl group optionally containing a silicon atom;

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A represents a radical of valency  $\underline{n}$  selected from among those of formulae:

$$(a) \qquad (b) \qquad (c) \qquad (R_3)_c \qquad (R_3)_c \qquad (e)$$

$$(f) \qquad (g) \qquad (h)$$

$$(i) \qquad (i) \qquad (k) \qquad (l)$$

$$(i) \qquad (k) \qquad (l)$$

in which each of the symbols  $R_3$  independently represents a halogen atom or a linear or branched  $C_1$ - $C_4$  alkyl or alkoxy radical, or hydroxyl;  $R_4$  represents a

hydrogen atom or a linear or branched  $C_1$ - $C_4$  alkyl radical;  $\underline{c} = 0 - 4$ ;  $\underline{d} = 0 - 3$ ;  $\underline{e} = 0$  or 1 and  $\underline{f} = 0 - 2$ .

- 62. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 61, in which 5 the at least one benzazole compound of formula (7) is selected from among 2benzoxazol-2-yl-4-methylphenol, 2-(1H-benzimidazol-2-yl)-4-methoxyphenol or 2benzothiazol-2-ylphenol, 2,2'-bis(benzimidazole), 5,5',6,6'-tetramethyl-2,2'bis(benzimidazole), 5,5'-dimethyl-2,2'-bis(benzimidazole), 6-methoxy-2,2'bis(benzimidazole), 2-(1H-benzimidazol-2-yl)benzothiazole, 2-(1H-benzimidazol-10 2-yl)benzoxazole and N,N'-dimethyl-2,2'-bis(benzimidazole), 1,4-phenylenebis(2benzoxazolyl), 1,4-phenylenebis(2-benzimidazolyl), 1,3-phenylenebis(2benzoxazolyl), 1,2-phenylenebis(2-benzoxazolyl), 1,2phenylenebis(benzimidazolyl), 1,4-phenylenebis(N-2-ethylhexyl-2-benzimidazolyl) and 1,4-phenylenebis(N-tri-methylsilylmethyl-2-benzimidazolyl), 2-(2-benzofuryl)-15 benzoxazole, 2-(benzofuryl)-5-methylbenzoxazole and 2-(3-methyl-2-
- 63. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 61, in which the at least one benzazole compound of formula (8) is selected from among 2,6-20 diphenyl-1,7-dihydrobenzo[1,2-d;4,5-d']di-imidazole, 2,6-distyryl-1,7-dihydrobenzo[1,2-d;4,5-d']diimidazole and 2,6-di(p-tert-butylstyryl)-1,7-dihydrobenzo[1,2-d;4,5-d']diimidazole.

benzofuryl)benzoxazole.

- 64. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 61, in which the at least one benzazole compound of formula (9) comprises 5,5'-bis[(2-phenyl)benzimidazole].
  - 65. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 61, in which the at least one insoluble benzazole UV-screening agent comprises 2-(1H-

benzimidazol-2-yl)benzoxazole, 6-methoxy-2,2'-bis-(benzimidazole), 2-(1H-benzimidazol-2-yl)benzothiazole, 1,4-phenylenebis(2-benzoxazolyl), 1,4-phenylenebis(2-benzimidazolyl), 1,3-phenylenebis(2-benzoxazolyl), 1,2-phenylenebis(2-benzoxazolyl), 1,2-phenylenebis(2-benzimidazolyl) or 1,4-phenylene-bis(N-trimethylsilylmethyl-2-benzimidazolyl).

66. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 1, said at least one insoluble UV-screening agent comprising a multivalent metal salt of a sulfonic or carboxylic organic UV-screening agent.

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- 67. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 66, said at least one insoluble UV-screening agent comprising a multivalent metal salt of a sulfonated benzylidene-camphor compound; a multivalent metal salt of a sulfonated benzimidazole compound; a multivalent metal salt of a cinnamic acid compound.
- 68. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 1, said at least one insoluble UV-screening agent comprising a complex of a multivalent metal or of ammonium or of substituted ammonium of a UV-A and/or UV-B organic screening agent.
- 69. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 1, said at least one insoluble UV-screening agent comprising from 0.1% to 25% by weight thereof.

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70. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 1, further comprising at least one active agent for artificially tanning and/or browning the skin.

- 71. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 1, further comprising at least one UV-A-active and/or UV-B-active soluble organic UV-screening agent.
- 72. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 71, said at least one soluble organic UV-screening agent being selected from among anthranilates; cinnamic derivatives; dibenzoylmethane derivatives; salicylic derivatives; camphor derivatives; triazine derivatives; benzophenone derivatives; β,β'-diphenylacrylate derivatives; benzotriazole derivatives; benzalmalonate derivatives; benzimidazole derivatives; imidazolines; bis-benzazolyl derivatives; paminobenzoic acid (PABA) derivatives; screening polymers and screening silicones; dimers derived from α-alkylstyrene; 4,4-di-arylbutadienes, and mixtures thereof.
- 73. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 72, said at least one soluble organic UV-screening agent being selected from among: ethylhexyl salicylate, butylmethoxydibenzoylmethane, ethylhexyl methoxycinnamate,
- 20 octocrylene,
  phenylbenzimidazolesulfonic acid,
  terephthalylidenedicamphorsulfonic acid,
  benzophenone-3,
  benzophenone-4,
- 25 benzophenone-5,
  4-methylbenzylidenecamphor,
  benzimidazilate,
  anisotriazine,
  ethylhexyltriazone,

diethylhexylbutamidotriazone, drometrizole trisiloxane, and mixtures thereof.

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- 74. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 1, further
   comprising at least one adjuvant selected from among fatty substances, organic solvents, ionic or nonionic thickeners, softeners, antioxidants, free-radical scavengers, opacifiers, stabilizers, emollients, silicones, α-hydroxy acids, antifoams, moisturizers, vitamins, insect repellents, fragrances, preservatives, surfactants, fillers, photoprotective agents, polymers other than those of the
   invention, propellants, acidifying or basifying agents and colorants.
  - 75. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 1, formulated as a nonionic vesicular dispersion, an emulsion, a cream, a milk, a gel, a cream-gel, a suspension, a dispersion, a powder, a solid tube, a mousse or a spray.
  - 76. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 1, formulated as a makeup composition for the eyelashes, the eyebrows or the skin, in solid or pasty, anhydrous or aqueous form, or in the form of an emulsion, a suspension or a dispersion.
  - 77. The cosmetic/dermatological composition as defined by Claim 1, formulated as a composition for protecting the hair against ultraviolet rays and in the form of a shampoo, a lotion, a gel, an emulsion or a nonionic vesicular dispersion.
  - 78. A regime or regimen for photoprotecting the skin and/or hair against the damaging effects of UV-irradiation, comprising topically applying thereon a thus effective amount of a photoprotective cosmetic/dermatological composition,

comprising (a) particulates of at least one insoluble mineral and/or organic UV-screening agent having a particle size ranging from 5 nm to 5  $\mu$ m and (b) a stabilizing amount of at least one amphiphilic polymerizate of at least one ethylenically unsaturated monomer which comprises a sulfonic group, whether in the free acid or in partially or totally neutralized state, and which amphiphilic polymerizate also comprises at least one hydrophobic moiety.